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Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A method for recycling synthetic wood materials, comprising:

providing [[a step wherein]] a sheathing board already used as a concrete form, consisting of a synthetic wood material with a moisture content of less than 15 wt %, wherein between 20 and 75 wt % of cellulose crushed materials, ~~such as wood meal with particle diameters of between 50 and 200  $\mu$  m,~~ and between 25 and 80 wt % of thermoplastic resin molding materials,

~~are mixed, is the processing object, and this~~ crushing the sheathing board ~~is crushed~~ into numerous coated particles,

~~and a step wherein~~ applying a scraping impact force [[is applied]] to each individual coated particle ~~previously mentioned,~~ wherein concrete and other incrustated materials encrusted on the ~~previously mentioned~~ coated particles are peeled or separated, and

~~classifying at the same time as the synthetic wood materials constituting the coated particles and the incrustated materials are classified, and~~

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granulating the particles of the synthetic wood materials ~~are granulated and this granulated synthetic wood meal material which has been granulated is~~ are then recycled.

Claim 2. (Canceled)

Claim 3. (Currently amended) A method for recycling synthetic wood materials of claim 1 ~~[[including]]~~ and further comprising:  
sifting the ~~a step wherein the previously mentioned~~ recycled granulated synthetic wood ~~[[meal]]~~ material ~~[[is sifted]]~~, and  
eliminating dust ~~such as encrusted materials mixed among the~~ granulated synthetic wood ~~[[meal]]~~ materials ~~is eliminated~~.

Claim 4. (Currently amended) A method for recycling synthetic wood materials of claim 1 and further comprising a step ~~wherein the previously mentioned~~ of drying the recycled granulated synthetic wood ~~[[meal]]~~ material ~~[[is dried]]~~ to a moisture content of less than 0.1 wt %.

Claim 5. (Currently amended) A method for recycling synthetic wood materials of claim 3 and further comprising a step of drying the ~~wherein the previously mentioned~~ recycled granulated synthetic wood ~~[[meal]]~~ material ~~[[is dried]]~~ to a moisture content of less than 0.1 wt %.

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Claim 6. (Canceled)